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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <i>(Only for new non-provisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</i>		<i>Title of Invention</i>	2'-Fluoronucleosides
		<i>Named Inventor(s)</i>	Schinazi, et al.
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17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION , check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Continuation <input type="checkbox"/> Divisional <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: 10/061,128 Prior application information: Examiner: Jezia Riley Group/Art Unit: 1637 For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation <u>can only be</u> relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.			
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Title: 2'-Fluoronucleosides

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Applicant : Schinazi, *et al.*
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REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(b)

Sir:

This is a request by Raymond F. Schinazi, Dennis C. Liotta, Chung K. Chu, J. Jeffrey McAtee, Junxing Shi, Yongseok Choi, Kyeong Lee, and Joon H. Hong for filing a Continuation Application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of pending prior application U.S. Serial No. 10/061,128, filed January 30, 2002, which is a continuation application of U.S. patent application number 09/257,130, filed on February 25, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,348,587, which claims priority to U.S. provisional application number 60/075,893, filed on February 25, 1998, and U.S. provisional application number 60/080,569, filed on April 3, 1998.

Enclosed is a copy of the prior application U.S.S.N. 10/061,128 as originally filed. The application includes 142 pages of Specification, Claims, and Abstract.

Assignments to Emory University and the University of Georgia Research Foundation were recorded April 16, 1999 at Reel 9892, Frame 0423 in the parent application. Copies of executed Declarations for Patent Application and Powers of Attorney in the parent application are enclosed.

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A Preliminary Amendment is also enclosed. Applicants request entry of the Preliminary Amendment prior to examination of this application.

The Commissioner for Patents is authorized to charge the required fee of \$1004.00 for filing this continuation application, as well as any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 11-0980.

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